



ABBOTSWOOD JUNIOR SCHOOL

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Wednesday 25th May

Stubbington Residential Trip

Dear Parents/Carers,

The trip is almost upon us and the Year 4 teachers and children are incredibly excited! Here are a few reminders.

- Please remember to put pocket money (as change) in a **named** purse/bag.
- Please remember to **label ALL personal belongings** with your child's name and class.
- Please pack wellies in suitcases (coach company request).
- Please ensure all medication is labelled with your child's name and the appropriate dosage.

Organisation for Wednesday 8th June

From 8:40 – Drop your child off into the sports hall where teachers will ask you to hand over any medicines. Please ensure these are all clearly labelled with precise instructions and have your child's name. Medicines will need to go to the appropriate boxes for each coach so we can have medication available as we travel. Signs will be up in the hall. Pocket money will also be collected by staff. There will be separate boxes for boys and girls.

9:05 onwards – Time to say your goodbyes and leave the site. Children will be organised into set coach groups.

9:30 – Coaches will depart.

10:00-10:30 – Arrive at Stubbington.

Organisation for Friday 10th June

1:15 – Coaches to leave Stubbington

2:00 - 2:15 – Coaches arrive at Abbotswood – The green Year 4 gate will be opened to let you in. Please wait in the Year 3 playground next to the sports hall where we will dismiss a very tired group of children! If you are unable to pick your child up at this time, we will keep them with us until 3:15pm (the end of the school day) and dismiss from the green Year 4 gate as normal. We would ask that you check your child off a list held by adults on your child's coach before taking them home so that we can ensure their safe collection. This does take time but please be patient with us as the safety of your child is paramount.

During our stay, we will be regularly posting pictures of the children onto the school Facebook page. We always seek to capture as much of the visit as possible. However, please note that our team's primary focus will be on the welfare of the children and so some pictures may be posted after the children's return.


Please find below a timetable of your child's visit. Take time to go through the timetable with your child as it will help to allay any anxieties. Information linked to the activities mentioned can be found on the Stubbington website: <https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/stubbingtonstudycentre/activities>

The Year 4 Team has worked hard to ensure a successful trip for your children. I am sure they will have a wonderful time!

Yours sincerely,

Mr E Humphries
Lower School Leader – Year 3 and 4.

Visit timetable

	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
8.10am		Breakfast	Breakfast
9.15am		Dorm Inspection	Dorm Inspection
AM	Arrival 10am	Group A and B Small Mammal Study	Group A - Pond Dipping and Den Building
	 Group A Earthquake	Group C Pond Dipping and Den Building	Group B - Earthquake
	Groups B, C and D Seashore Experience	Group D Earthquake	Group C and D Small Mammal Study
		Clearing bases, returning equipment, and packing.	
12pm	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1.00pm		Group A Seashore Experience	Departure 1.15pm
2.00pm	Go to dormitories	Group B - Pond Dipping and Den Building	
	Introduction	Group C - Earthquake	
3.30pm	Fire Drill and Site Tours	Group D - Pond Dipping and Den Building	
3.45pm	Break and Tuck Shop	House Challenge C & D put our ready- made Hotels	
4.30pm	House Challenge Group A & B put out ready-made hotels		
5.20pm	Dinner	Dinner	
6-7pm	Class time	Class time	
7-8 pm	Wildlife Show	Wide Game	
7.45pm	Supper	Supper	
8.00pm	Bedtime routines	Bedtime routines	
9.30pm	Lights out	Lights out	